

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota*

### *Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, Philip is a progressive business community which relies on a diverse industrial base, agriculture, quality health care, and a wide variety of retail businesses; and,

*Whereas*, Philip is located near the majestic Badlands, offering wide open spaces, a scenic view, and quiet country living on the South Dakota prairie, a true treasure of the Dakota landscape; and,

*Whereas*, Philip was named after cattle and buffalo rancher James (Scotty) Philip, whose buffalo herd would later stock the national and state parks throughout the United States; and,

*Whereas*, During the fall season, Philip offers outdoor enthusiasts abundant big game and upland bird hunting on the grasslands of the prairie; and,

*Whereas*, Now, state government is going on the road to the people of Philip and the surrounding area in a unique program called Capital for a Day; and,

*Whereas*, Capital for a Day is designed to provide a local forum whereby an exchange of ideas, information, and concerns among the governor, cabinet officials, representatives for the private business sector, local elected officials, special interest groups, and the general public can occur:

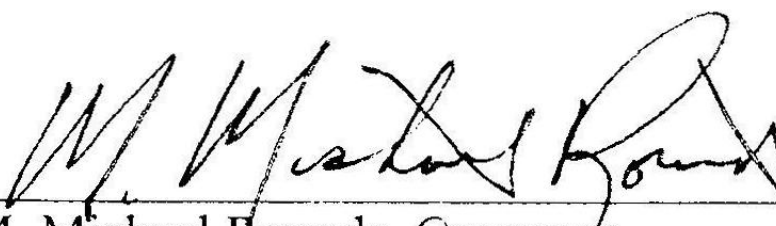
*Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim August 28, 2008, as

### *PHILIP CAPITAL FOR A DAY*

in South Dakota.



*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighteenth Day of August in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

  
M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

  
Chris Nelson, Secretary of State